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**From:** Piro, Peter (DPH) [/O=COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS/OU=MASSMAIL-01/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=PETER.PIRO]  
**Sent:** 2/13/2012 10:25:41 PM  
**To:** Manoog, Nicole (CPI) [/O=COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS/OU=MassMail-01/cn=Recipients/cn=Users/cn=NManoog]  
**CC:** Nassif, Julianne (DPH) [/O=COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS/OU=MassMail-01/cn=Recipients/cn=Julianne.Nassif]; Salemi, Charles (DPH) [/O=COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS/OU=MassMail-01/cn=Recipients/cn=Charles.Salemi]  
**Subject:** RE: [REDACTED]

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The name of our Divisional Director is Julie Nassif and her telephone number is 617-983-6651. She may be able to answer your questions concerning this matter so you can plan for this trial.

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**From:** Manoog, Nicole (DAA) [mailto:nicole.manoog@massmail.state.ma.us]  
**Sent:** Monday, February 13, 2012 3:37 PM  
**To:** Piro, Peter (DPH); Khan, Annie (DPH)  
**Cc:** 'Balcom, Sean'  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]

Dear Annie and Peter:

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